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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Gayle Hargrave-Thomas

Serial No. 09/924,667

Filing Date: August 7, 2001

For SAW BLADE PACKAGE AND
CARRY CASE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

In reply to the Office Action dated May 6, 2003, Applicant has filed this Amendment and Response by Certificate of Mailing. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw the objections and rejections to this application and to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following remarks and amended claims.